

Exhibit A

Monsanto

FROM (NAME & LOCATION) B2SC P. G. Benignus

DATE January 14, 1972 cc B2SL W. R. Corey
SUBJECT P. R. Mallory C1NA J. Stapleton
Indianapolis, Ind. E2NC R. Hellwig
REFERENCE Capacitor Aroclor T. L. Gossage/C. Paton
B2NK W. B. Papageorge

TO : B2SL
H. S. BERGEN

P. R. Mallory is one of our main customers for capacitor Aroclor. As they have adequate assets and as their Board of Directors are meeting on Tuesday, January 25, their representatives have been requested to meet with Monsanto to get better understanding of the risks and exposure to Mallory regarding the PCB matter.

In essence they seek to meet with our committee to discuss this subject.

We have agreed on Wednesday, January 19 at 9:30 a.m. Room C303.

The Mallory representatives will be:

Mr. Harry Nieders, Mkt. Mgr. Capacitors
Mr. Rich Childress, Corporate Attorney
Dr. D. J. Wilson, Vice President, Corporate Res. & Eng.
Mallory's Insurance Representative
Mr. Pat Boo, Consultant

Mallory will come prepared with their insurance policies, financial statements and other documents.


P. G. Benignus

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Customer P. R. MALLORYAddress 3029 East Washington AvenueIndianapolis, Indiana 46201Letter Sent #1 #2 Date _____

Addressed to _____ (Return Receipt #: 645579)

Receipt Received 12-27-71 Signed by R. S. ClarkProduct(s) Acroclor 1016 Wayne Letter
Acroclor 1242 317-261-16091971 Sales Total Lbs. 703,918 \$ 220,545

Hold Harmless Letter Signed _____

Progress of Conversion

Date	Action
1/3/72	John for PA called. Asked for more matt. said m. later in pm. no sign letter. They said co. offices working on - I said only way to get more.
1/7/72	Mr. Chidress - then lawyer called. Understood reasons. Explained program. He asked if you increase - I said yes & why - 3-5% /lb. Also gave him Stahlman name.
1/19/72	Mallory personnel visit St. Louis for complete discussion. They will be back to us - probably signing.
2/1/72	Wayne Oter VP Mallory called needs order 2115 implant. Board has approved signing - he has authority to sign. Few legal questions - will call Stahlman. [REDACTED] Lawyers agreed on "Hold Harmless" document.
2/4/72	[REDACTED]

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